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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
UNDER 37 CFR 1.181

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.181, Applicants respectfully petition for withdrawal of the holding of abandonment, which, as indicated on a Notice of Abandonment mailed by the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on December 11, 2007, was caused by Applicants' alleged failure to timely file a response to a Notification of Missing Requirements mailed on August 8, 2006.

Attached hereto is a copy of our filing receipt date-stamped September 21, 2006, showing filing of a Response to Notification of Missing Requirements; w/Declaration and Notification. Also attached for your convenience is a copy of the Response to Notification of Missing Requirements as submitted on September 21, 2006.

In view of the foregoing evidence showing timely response to the Notice, withdrawal of the holding of abandonment is respectfully requested.

No fee is required. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any

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paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under Order No. 80423 (302761).

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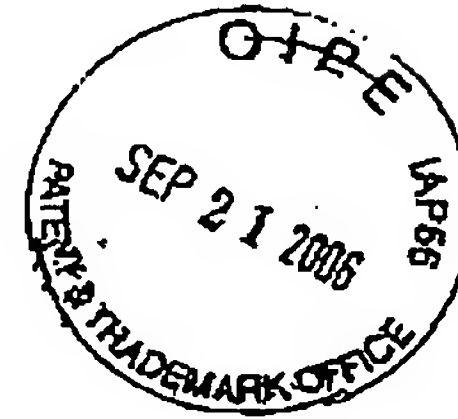
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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the papers filed as indicated
in connection with the above-identified case.

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